Dear Harold, July 16, 1992

Just this past weekend we arrived back in Spartanburg after a two-week stay with my mother in Milwaukee. Unfortunately, Hanh-Trang was not able to go because of limited vacation time at the clinic where she works. Claire and Nicholas enjoyed themselves. We took in the zoo, museum and they got to play with some of their cousins they do not see very often. We also took a side trip to Stevens Point. My brother still lives in a town nearby. We had Dave Wrone and some other old friends out for a barbeque. It was good to see him, although I wish I had had more time to visit. He mentioned that you are at work on a book on the JAMA interview. A couple weeks ago I got a chance to read it more carefully, and I found it astounding in its inaccuracy. Given what you published in Post Mortem alone, I imagine you could write a full book-length exposé. One of the things I find so disturbing about that interview, among many other such examples, is the blatant deceit that is practiced. And, apparently, these people are able to sleep at night.

During our stay in Milwaukee I had an interesting discussion with the adopted son of one of my cousins, who I had not seen since he was about 4 yrs old. Well, he just graduated from a small college in California and did a senior thesis on the Kennedy assassination. I have enclosed a copy of the title page. He struck me as being very knowledgable and mature in his appr@ch, although I cautioned him on some of the sources he used for his paper such as Jim Marrs, High Treason, Penn Jones, Gary Shaw, among others. He did cite Post Mortem and Whitewash II, although curiously not Photographic Whitewash. He was also impressed by a journal I was not familiar with called, "The Third Decade: A Journal of Research on the John F. Kennedy Assassination". He will be going to New York University to start a graduate program in history. He seemed open to some of the things I said -- trying to re-orient his approach to focus more on evidence of the failed investigation. He was generally impressed with Stone's film. I sent him a few things to try to set him straight on that score, and I also encouraged him to become more familiar with the work that Dave Wrone has done, ~~since~~ especially since he plans to major in history.

During this past week I have finally begun to sit down and pull together a few things regarding Specter. That article I copied from your files certainly showed him at his evasive best. Sometime before school begins I plan to write up one or two short pieces and provide ample documentation.

I liked the short piece from the Baltimore Sun on you and your files. Although there could have been more substance, at least it did a good job of outlining what your main appraoch to the assassination has been. I imagine the reporter spent much more time with you than is reflected in the article.

I hope you are making progress on correcting your sleep disorder. Our regards to Lillian.

Best,

Gerry

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